

ARIZONA PEACE OFFICER STANDARDS AND TRAINING BOARD
MINUTES OF PUBLIC SESSION HELD AUGUST 18, 2004, PHOENIX, AZ

A Public Session of the Arizona Peace Officer Standards and Training Board was convened on August 18, 2004, at the AZ POST facility, located at 2643 East University Drive, Phenix, Arizona.

Members Present:

Mr. Jim Garcia
Deputy Tamatha Villar
Sheriff Gary Butler
Chief Joe Vernier
Ms. Lisa Flores
Commander Gary Hughes
Mr. Paul Felice
Chief Jerry Sheridan
Sergeant Gary Eisenga
Dr. Michael Polakowski

Staff in Attendance:

Tom Hammarstrom, Executive Director
Lyle Mann, Deputy Director
Bob Forry, Manager
Ted Brandon, Compliance Specialist
Curt Milam, Compliance Specialist
Gary Maschner, Compliance Specialist
Marie Dryer, Compliance Specialist
Lois Sherlock, Admin Assistant

Attorney for the Public Body Present:

Diana Stabler, Assistant Attorney General

Guests in Attendance:

Russell Young
Chief Anthony Daykin
Mr. Steven Primack

A. Call to Order:

At 11:00 a.m. Chairperson Jim Garcia called the meeting to order.

B. Consideration of initiating complaints against peace officer certification

Case #1 Cecil L. Bruno: The Board voted to close with No Action.
Chief Jerry Sheridan made a motion to close with No Action. Deputy
Tamatha Villar seconded the motion and it was unanimously
approved.

Case #2 Mark O. Cooper: The Board voted to initiate proceedings.
Chief Joe Vernier made a motion to initiate proceedings. Dr. Michael
Polakowski seconded the motion and it was unanimously approved.

Case #3 O'Brien D. Goseyun: The Board voted to initiate proceedings.
Dr. Michael Polakowski made a motion to initiate proceedings.
Sergeant Gary Eisenga seconded the motion and it was unanimously
approved.

Case #4 Joseph L. Harvey: The Board voted to close with No Action.
Chief Jerry Sheridan made a motion to close with No Action. Chief
Joe Vernier seconded the motion and it was unanimously approved.

Case #5 Lizzette J. Valles: The Board voted to close with an RF.
Chief Jerry Sheridan made a motion to close with an RF. Ms. Lisa
Flores seconded the motion and it was approved with a five to four
vote.

Case #6 Clinton L. Woods: The Board voted to initiate proceedings.
Sheriff Gary Butler made a motion to initiate proceedings. Chief
Jerry Sheridan seconded the motion and it was unanimously
approved.

Case #7 Aaron Ortiz: The Board voted to initiate proceedings.
Deputy Tamatha Villar recused herself from any participation.
Dr. Michael Polakowski made a motion to initiate proceedings.
Sergeant Gary Eisenga seconded the motion and it was unanimously
approved.

Case #8 Victor H. Valenzuela: The Board voted to initiate proceedings.
Deputy Tamatha Villar recused herself from any participation.
Chief Joe Vernier made a motion to close with an RF. Sheriff Gary
Butler seconded the motion and it was rejected by a five to four vote.
Dr. Michael Polakowski made a motion to initiate proceedings. Chief
Jerry Sheridan seconded the motion and it was unanimously
approved.

**Case #9 Courtney C. Wonder: The Board voted to close with an RF.
Deputy Tamatha Villar recused herself from any participation.
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**Chief Jerry Sheridan made a motion to close with and RF. Sheriff
Gary Butler seconded the motion and it was unanimously approved.**

**Case #10 Russell A. Young: The Board voted to adopt the Consent
Agreement Order and Decision and suspended certification for a
period of six months from November 24, 2003 until April 24, 2004.
Deputy Tamatha Villar made a motion to suspend certification for a
period of 24 months from November 24, 2003 until November 24,
2005. Chief Joe Vernier seconded the motion. The motion was
rejected with a five to four vote. Chief Jerry Sheridan made a motion
to adopt the Consent Agreement Order and Decision and to suspend
certification for a period of six months from November 24, 2003 until
April 24, 2004. Sheriff Gary Butler seconded the motion and it was
approved with a seven to two vote.**

**Case #11 Dana M. McReynolds: The Board voted to grant the petition and
determined that the pre-employment drug use was experimental.
The Board heard comments from Chief Anthony Daykin with the
University of AZ Police Department. Chief Joe Vernier made a
motion to grant the petition and determined that the pre-employment
drug use was experimental. Chief Jerry Sheridan seconded the
motion and it was approved with an eight to one vote.**

C. Adjourn:

The meeting adjourned at 11:28 a.m..

Dated this 18th day of August 2004.

**BY: _____
Carol S. Muskus, Recording Secretary**